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50 dozen Gent's plain Bathing Towels, 10c; worth \$5.00.  
75 dozen Gent's Unlaundered Shirts, 50c; worth \$37.50.  
45 dozen Embroidered for 50c; worth \$22.50.  
50c and 75c Curries, 45c; worth \$22.50.  
Plaid and Plaid Dress Goods at 50c.  
Plaid and Plaid Mixtures and Silk and Wool Pongee, 15c.  
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Maple Leaf Toilet Soap, 40c a dozen.  
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Turkey-embroidered Pillow and Sheet Shams, 60c and 80c per set.  
A few more Black Mohair and Farmer Beds Skirts at half price.

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## CITY NEWS.

Fifteen real estate transfers were filed yesterday; consideration, \$15,936.

Mrs. P. E. W. H. of Philadelphia, will speak at the Second Baptist church this evening, and on to-morrow evening at Simpson chapel.

The council street car committee will meet with the managers of the street car company and others, this evening, to confer relative to constructing a line to Crown Hill.

The Stewart Coal company of this city has been incorporated, to operating coal mine in Clay county. Directors: John A. Peasas, Wm. B. Allen, and G. B. Stens.

Coburn & Jones have removed the lumber from the south section of their yard to make way for the changes intended by the Union railway company. It is said that ten tracks will be placed there.

A team of horses belonging to J. J. Bishop, of Greenwood, included in a run-in yesterday, on South Meridian street, and in his effort to stop them, Mr. Bishop fell between the horses and narrowly escaped dangerous hurt.

Frank Lloyd, of Martinsville, charged with assault, growing out of an arrest in this city three months ago, established the fact that he was in the line of duty, in a trial yesterday afternoon before Squire Johnston, and was discharged.

Ed Wilson, accused of tampering with the safe in Woolen's law office, waived preliminary examination before Squire Johnston yesterday, and it is the understanding that the grand jury will direct his release from bond, for the reason that there is no evidence against him.

Coburn-street residents, near East, are protesting against the frame warehouse which Robert Kehler is preparing to erect in that neighborhood for the housing of hay, but as Kehler has secured a building permit, therefore, and it is outside the fire limits, a remonstrance is of no avail.

The iron bridge over the "race" on the Michigan-street extension of the bridge has been torn away with the intention of filling the gap and making a solid road-way henceforth. The bridge material was in course of removal yesterday, for the purpose, presumably, of being saved for some place on the canal or creek.

Detective Norris, of Springfield, O., was the city last evening, on the trail of the men who murdered the two Cleveland policemen on the train near Ravenna, O., some weeks ago. It was thought that one of them was in this city a few days, and there was an attempt to shadow him by the police, but he managed to evade surveillance and disappear.

## HAUGHVILLE.

The Improvement Going On in That Flourishing Suburb.

The "Malleable Iron works" and the "Ewart manufacturing company" of Haughville are making an addition on the northern end of their extensive establishment, as for building as the March weather is. A dam residence, or more, are begun well advanced already in the season, in this rapidly-improving Wayne township metropolis. A solid little town has gathered about the I. D. & S. round house, running down to the older settlement of the west end of Indiana, and has put city streets with an assurance of future growth that is supported by all visible indications. Quite a number of outlying houses and clumps of two or three or more residences beyond the compact town are scattered about east to the oil works, up north toward the iron bridge, and westward toward the elevator and the Haugh & Ketchum iron works. But the greatest change in that part of the city suburbs is in Haughville. It has a hotel, a half-dozen stores and groceries, and a dozen or more—some probably of streets some as compactly built up as those of the city, and as well graded and graveled, some partly built, some planned and advancing to a usable condition, while its westward movement is steadily adding streets, which are now actually within a stone's throw of the insane asylum. The town is spreading around that magnificent institution, stretching southward to the national road, eastward toward patches to the river, and working toward a consolidation with the settlement about the I. D. & S. and about it won't be long, apparently, till Indiana and this latter growth will join Haughville and make a town of a mile square or more and considerable population, and no inconsiderable amount of business outside of the two big manufacturing.

## Making Mouths.

A recent news item says that a child, shortly before, had been born at the Emergency hospital, New York, without a mouth. "The doctors made an incision through the flesh and tough membrane which connected the upper and lower jaws, and a plug of cotton between the jaw bones to prevent them from uniting in healing, and now the artificial mouth looks quite natural." This incident and illustration of the resources of surgical skill will recall to a few of the oldest readers of The News the fact, or legend, coming down from the early days of the city's history, that quite a prominent and well-esteemed citizen, one of the first of our batters and hat dealers, Major John Jamison, was born without a mouth, and the militia major of this congressional district, had a queer looking mouth—a little oblique at a front view and square set in the lips, which had no curve or rounded fullness, like many mouths. Whether the legend of his artificial mouth was true or not, it obtained general credence from the appearance of the facial aperture and was accepted with as little doubt as his existence. He died away back in the last generation.

## Jack Howard's Accounts.

Attorney General Michener has sent a professional accountant to Jeffersonville to make a thorough examination into ex-Warden Howard's accounts, the facts to be brought forth being needed in the suit against his bondsmen. An examination of the quarterly reports made by Howard, by the attorney general, shows that there is an additional shortage to that already reported of \$27,148.15. Three of these reports were either never made, as required by law, or they have been falsified. The last six or seven years there are various instances of this kind ranging from the amount named down to \$150.

## Mrs. Cowie Suing For Divorce.

Mrs. Roseanna Cowie, wife of John R. Cowie, ex-councilman, has filed suit for divorce, owing to the dissipated and neglectful habits of the defendant, and she has also restrained him from disposing of any property of which he may be possessed until the hearing of the case on the 22d inst. The plaintiff is the daughter of Wm. Downey, Mr. Cowie, until his appearance in city politics, was an active, prosperous business man, and by the death of a relative in Scotland he inherited a sum of money which might have made him practically independent for life.

## A Postmaster in Trouble.

Noah E. Flory, postmaster at Tulip, Greene county, was brought before Commissioner Jordan yesterday afternoon, charged with selling stamps at less than face value, and while he did not deny the charge, he claimed to have gotten possession of the stamps in trade, and was, therefore, enabled to sell them at an apparent discount. He was placed under \$500, and was not only permitted to go home and raise the bond, but a collection was taken up to pay his railroad fare.

## Women's Relief Corps Troubles.

Mrs. Alice Griffin, of Elkhart, whom the department encampment, G. A. R., refused to recognize as president of the state women's relief corps, has called a convention to meet in South Bend on the 23d inst., and she claims to be in receipt of a telegram from Mrs. Elizabeth D'Arcy Kline, of San Francisco, who is president of the national relief corps, to the effect that she is recognized as president of the national relief corps.

also, promising not to recognize the convention recently held in this city, nor the officers elected and installed at that time. Per contra, Mrs. Flora Wilschuer, who succeeded Mrs. Griffin by authority of the state department encampment, has issued a spirited circular to the posts throughout the state, reciting the causes which led to the setting aside of Mrs. Griffin, and praying the members of the various corps to study the situation carefully, and not hinder the harmonious conduct of the department. So far a majority of the posts throughout the state are said to have yielded allegiance to the convention held in this city, and although it is expected that Mrs. Griffin will appeal to the national encampment meeting to be held in St. Paul, Minn., in May, it is not believed that she will be successful in carrying her point.

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

Line of March and Order of Procession, With Exercises at Masonic Hall.

All the societies joining the demonstration in honor of St. Patrick's day, to-morrow will form at the junction of Maryland and Tennessee streets, right resting on Tennessee street, at 2 o'clock promptly, in the following order.

Houghton Cornet band.

Metropolitan police.

Richardson Rifles.

Emmett Guards.

Rice Zouaves.

Indianapolis Rifles.

Roman Knights of St. George.

Knight of Father Mathew.

Order and Harmony in Carriages.

Mayor and city officers.

Emerald band.

Divisions Nos. 1 and 2, A. O. H.

St. Stanislaus Cadets.

St. Patrick's T. A. P. society.

St. Patrick's literary society.

Sodalities of various churches.

Irish national league.

Citizens.

All societies are expected to report at their headquarters at 1:30 p. m. sharp. The Emerald band will report at 1 p. m. at Parnell hall, as escort for the A. O. H., and the Houghton band will serve in the same capacity for the police. The line of march will run from Maryland and Tennessee street south on Tennessee to Georgia, east to Illinois, north to Washington, east to Alabama, north to Market, west on Market (around the north half of the Circle) to Tennessee, south on Tennessee to Washington and west to Missouri street, counter-marching to Masonic hall.

James H. Derry will preside at the Masonic hall meeting and Hon. Wm. H. Calkins will deliver the oration. James Doherty will act as grand marshal, and an amended list of all societies and clubs, D. A. Sweeney, Wm. Flynn, Thomas Watson, Captain John Moloney, Captain Tom Madden, Wm. Canine, Jack Hennessy, Pat Manley, C. H. O'Brien, Richard Merrick, M. J. O'Reilly, J. Greaney, George Rickenback, Frank O'Brien, Thomas Markey, Daniel Hickey and Frank H. Ryan.

## The Base Ball Outlook.

At a meeting of the directors of the proposed base ball club, held at the Bates house, it was decided not to proceed further with the organization or the election of officers until such a sum of money shall have been subscribed to make it an assured success. At least \$5,000 more must be raised at once, or the enterprise will be abandoned and the club will go to some other city. It has decided to call a public mass meeting at the rooms of the Board of Trade, to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, at which the situation of affairs will be fully considered and an effort made to secure the required amount. The directors want the business men of the city to attend this meeting. When it was first announced that the club was to come here, predictions were made that it would not be supported, and for the credit of the city, if for no other reason, business men should see that it is maintained. Preliminary arrangements have already been made for a series of exhibition games here during April, with various clubs, but nothing further can be done until the association is incorporated and fully admitted into the league.

## Mapleton Items.

A marble yard and green house are in course of construction in the vicinity of Mapleton. Also several private dwellings are building and improvements will be made this season. The suburb promises to grow this year.

A suitable location for a gas well has been selected on George Lanaster's farm, and boring will begin very soon.

The Mapleton Literary society will give a supper on Friday the 18th in order to raise funds for their treasury.

## Real Estate at Auction.

To-morrow (Thursday), March 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the premises, we will sell at public auction a nice cottage frame house, No. 384 Blake street. The property will be sold on small monthly payments. The title is perfect and clear of all incumbrances. None need be without a home, when one can be had like paying rent. Remember the sale to-morrow (Thursday), 17th, at 2 o'clock p. m. W. E. MICK & CO.

## The Base Ball Managers.

And everybody else who wants the best go to RYAN, The Hatter, South Illinois st.

## The Emperor, Napoleon I.

was a great lover of a combination of breakfast cocoa and coffee. C. B. Brooks, of DeWitt, has placed upon the market under the name of Cho-Oa, the above combination in powder, in half-pound tins. Price, 30 cents.

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## Best can oysters—Schaffner's.

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## Best filed can oysters—Schaffner's.

Via Iron Mountain route and Southern Pacific railway, leaving St. Louis 9:30 a. m. March 23. This is the only southern route issuing excursion tickets to all points in southern California and including San Francisco, and is also the only southern route permitting passengers to return a different route without additional cost. Very low rates. For circulars and full information, call on or address COKE ALEXANDER, District Passenger Agent Mo. Pac. Ry., 69 W. Maryland st., Indianapolis.

## TRUSLER'S Toilet Cream, Reliable Cough Remedy and Face Powder.

For sale by drugists. A very large spring assortment of all the latest designs in wall paper, decorations and window shades is displayed in elegant taste at Carl Moller's, 161 East Washington street. It will pay to see them, as you can find from the very cheapest to the very costliest goods there.

## EUGENE Secret of Beauty. M. E. PERHAM, 1645 East Washington street.

## ADDITIONAL TRAINS AND CHANGE OF TIME BY THE VANDALIA LINE.

Commencing Sunday, March 13, this road will put on an additional train, to leave Indianapolis at 8 o'clock p. m. It will have the local sleeper from Indianapolis to St. Louis. As formerly, a train will leave Indianapolis at 11 p. m. and will be composed of through coaches, reclining chair and sleeping-car, which will run through to St. Louis on fast time. Persons desiring sleeping accommodations will be able to procure them on the early or late train, as may be preferred.

Spring and summer suitings, best and cheapest, at A. Schmidt's, 46 Old Sentinel building.

## For diamonds or gold watches or fine jewelry, go to MARY, "The" Jeweler. Low prices.

## CALIFORNIA EXCURSION.

From now until March 31 the Bee Line—Indianapolis to St. Louis railway—will sell excursion tickets to Los Angeles or San Francisco at rate of \$80 round trip. Tickets are strictly first-class and good going on any train, and passengers who select their route at time tickets are exchanged at St. Louis or Kansas City, can return by a different route without extra charge. This will be the last chance you will have to visit the Pacific coast at such low rates, and you should, by all means, avail yourself of the golden opportunity. For tickets, sleeping-car berths and other information, call on or write to T. C. Peck, district passenger agent, Bee Line, No. 3 Bates house, 1505 South Illinois street, Indianapolis.

## Gold watches low prices at the great sale at MARY, "The" Jeweler.

Oysters, fish, game, etc.—Schaffner's.

GEORGE J. HAMMEL, 110 and 112 MARSHWORTHS AVENUE. 25c for 3 cans corn. 25c for 3 cans plums, gooseberries, blackberries or cherries. 25c for 3 cans standard pie peaches. 10c for 1 can standard tomato. 10c for 1 can pineapple. 10c for one 3-pound can table peaches. 25c for 3 cans sardines in oil. 5c for 1 quart navy beans. 5c for 1 pound boneless or whole codfish. 5c for 1 pound best sugar-cured shoulders. Goods delivered to all parts of the city free. SHILL oysters and clams—Schaffner's. Those wishing to attend the horse sale at the stock yards March 16, 16 and 17, the I. & V. railroad have arranged to run special trains, leaving the Union depot above dates at 8:30 and 9:30 a. m., returning, leave yards at 4 and 5:30 p. m. Tickets on sale at Union depot. ORANGE, banana, figs, dates—Schaffner's.

## 39 CENTS

For 4-button Kid Gloves.

## LACE CURTAIN SALE.

We offer this week Lace Curtains at 63c, 75c and 98c per pair, worth twice the price.

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